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NEWS OF SOUTH RICHMOND

LOCAL OPTION PETITION

**Judge Receives Document and Will
Order Liquor Election In July.**

Judge Robert G. Southall yesterday granted permission for a local option election to be held in Nanpeshaw Mag-

seen on the Southside. After treating the animal, it took the dogs two hours to kill it. According to Captain Lipinski, who has seen it, the record capture tipped the scales at thirty-eight pounds.

sterial District, in which Swansboro is located, in answer to petitions presented to him at the Chesterfield Circuit

Count. Only sixty-seven names were required for an election, but over 150 signatures of qualified voters of Swansboro and the county were on the papers.

J. N. Tanner represented the liquor party at the hearing, while E. J. Pettigrew, who was the organizer of the movement for an election, presented

the cause of the dry faction. Judge Southall did not set the day of the election, but said it would be held in

A strong sentiment has been stirred up against the four saloons of Swansboro. Protest meetings will be held and services in all Swansboro churches will be held by the "drys" for the purpose of securing voters in the coming election.

Floods Delay Work.

Owing to the high water in the river, a large portion of underpinning, belonging to the construction work on the new bridge, was carried away yesterday morning. Seeing the material weakened, a crowd of Southside men and boys jumped on the mass and took a "joy ride" down stream.

Considerable loss was entailed by J. J. Smith & Company, but the bridge projectors are confident that the work of workmen was repairing and reinforcing the bridge yesterday.

Horse Kicks Wagon.

A peculiar accident occurred in Swansboro on Sunday, when the horse of a dairy wagon was suddenly frightened and threw the vehicle on top of an awning over the "Bex" cafe on the head of Hull Street. It is thought the

Only Three Arrests.

On a charge of being drunk and disorderly, W. M. Williamson was arrested by Officer Waymack yesterday afternoon. He will be taken to the County Jail for Justice Maurice this morning.

Thaddeus Whitfield and Battle Campbell were arrested last night for fighting and taking to the Third Police Station. In Police Court this morning the charge against each will be assault and battery.

Small Fire.

Fire, caused by the explosion of a oil stove yesterday afternoon, broke out in a dwelling at the corner of Eighteenth and Stoughton streets. The flames were quickly extinguished by the Truck Company No. 5, Captain Chauncey, the Steamer Company No. 13, Captain Cosby, who responded to the alarm turned in from Box 100. Slight damage was done to the property, which was woned by W. J. Williams.

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horse became frightened by a boy running in front of him and in some manner he kicked the wagon over the

Brevities of Interest.

The Weatherford Memorial Baptist Sunday school will hold its annual picnic at Falling Creek on June 26.

Dr. J. H. Montague expects to move into his new home on the Petersburg Turnpike next week.

Mrs. J. E. Norvell, of 2406 Hull Street, has returned from a visit to her sister, Mrs. J. H. Montague, of Charlottesville.

Inspectors Post-Office.

Inspector Elmore S. Winger, made an

Goshen, N. Y., May 26.—The State tonight closed its case in the trial for the second time of Burton W. Goshen, the New York lawyer, on the charge of having caused the death of the Countess Rothenburg and it expected that the fate of the attorney will be the hands of the jury possibly by Wednesday night.

OBITUARY

Mrs. Amelia Newman.

A cablegram was received from Berlin, Germany, yesterday, announcing the death of Mrs. Amelia Newman.

examination of all South Richmond post-offices yesterday. At Stations Nos. 21 and 22, Swansboro, officers were

found to be working smoothly, and the inspector suggested minor improvements to facilitate the mail delivery. Especially did Mr. Elmore compliment Superintendent Lloyd on the appearance and service of Manchester Station, which has been giving entire satisfaction.

Ask Free Delivery.

Only a few more signatures are needed to the petitions which are being circulated among the residents of Forest Hill for a free delivery before the matter will be taken up by Postmaster Edwar Allan Jr. All the names must be in by June 1, and citizens interested in the question are requested to sign at once.

Big Coon Captured.

While "possum hunting" last Saturday night, Captain J. T. Canada, of 801 Bainbridge Street, bagged a coon, the size of which never before been

known, and had tamed most of the principal places in Europe, and expected to return to this country in October.

His wife, Mrs. Simon, was the widow of Meyer Newman, a well-known resident, Isaac Newman, and Moses Thalhimer, of this city, and Jacob Thalhimer and Mrs. Bettie Simon, of New York. She leaves one daughter, Mrs. Harry Simon, of Brooklyn, N. Y.

Funeral of Mr. Arnhem.

The remains of William M. Arnhem, who met his death in an accident at Tarboro, N. C., on Sunday evening, arrived in Richmond last night, and were taken to the residence of his brother-in-law, M. L. Bloomberg, at 1001 Grace Street. A delegation of citizens from Tarboro and also from Concord Lodge, No. 55, A. F. & A. M., accompanied the body to the funeral service to be conducted at the Hebrew Cemetery Chapel this afternoon at 2 o'clock by Dr. E. N. Calisch. Mr. Arnhem is survived by his wife, who was Miss Lillie Rosendorf, formerly of this city, and by three children, his mother, and two brothers and three sisters.

C. Lee Menfice.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

Rocky Mount, June 1, 1914.—C. Lee Menfice, sixty-three years old, died at his home suddenly this afternoon, having suffered a heart attack. He was a well-known citizen, a well-to-do man and lived but a few minutes. Although a physician was near and was with him at the time of his death, he was

NEWMAN.—Died, May 26, in Berlin, Germany, MRS. AMELIA NEWMAN, formerly of this city, and sister of Charles, Isaac and Moses Thalheimer.

WINSTON.—Died, at "Signal Hill," Haverhill, Mass., Monday, May 26, 1913. MRS. BETTIE B. WINSTON, widow of Dr. Bickerton L. Winston, Buried in Hollywood.

Funeral notice later.

PARKER.—Died at the Retreat for the Sick, at 9:45 o'clock May 26, 1913. MRS. MATTIE H. PARKER, wife of the late John H. Parker, Jr., who leaves five children—Margaret, Robert, Annie, Bland and John; also sister, Mrs. Robert P. Parker of Fort Smith, Ark.; two brothers, Mr. William and Bland Hess, of West Virginia.

Funeral services at 5 o'clock May 27, 1913, at Maury Cemetery.

Sharon, W. Va., and Fort Smith, Ark., papers please copy.

ALLEN.—Died, at Protestant Episcopal Church Home Sunday, May 25, 1913, at 8:30 P. M. MRS. MARY ALLEN.


Funeral from St. James Episcopal Church, TUESDAY, May 27, at 11 o'clock A. M.

BAKER.—Died, Monday, May 26, 1913, at 7 o'clock P. M., on Oakwood Avenue, MARY ALICE BAKER, widow of Ex-Policeman Baker. She leaves three children—Fred F. W. J. and D. D. Baker, and a daughter

engaged in the mercantile business here for twenty years. Before entering business here he was a travelling salesman. He is survived by one daughter and three sons.

James W. Finlsey.

Alexandria, Va., May 26.—James W. Finlsey, fifty-nine years old, who lived west of the Episcopal Theological Seminary, Fairfax County, died yesterday. Two sons and three daughters survive.



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